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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

HAMMERMAN, *et al.*

Serial No.: 09/472,662

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For: COMPOSITION AND METHOD FOR
IMPROVING FUNCTION
OF EMBRYONIC KIDNEY
TRANSPLANTS

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Sir:

It is hereby requested that the time to file a response to the Office Action mailed June 5, 2001, by extended by one month up to and including October 5, 2001. The required fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1,17(a)(1) of \$55.00 is enclosed herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, including extension fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1300 (Our Order No. A-68752-1/RFT/RMK).

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